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NEIL McDOWALL PASSES AT THE COAST

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McDowall, of Beaver Mines, received the sad intelligence last week end of the death of their youngest son, Neil McDowall, following an operation for appendicitis at Vancouver. Neil had been working in the Zeballos gold fields on Vancouver Island. He was born at Beaver Mines twenty-seven years ago. His brother, Kenneth, left by Monday night's train for the coast, and will accompany the remains to Pincher Creek today, where interment takes place tomorrow afternoon.

Deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

R. I. P.

This week our waste paper basket acknowledges receipt of further batches of documents from various federal and provincial government departments, intended for free space in our columns, including: Science helps banish wheat rust epidemics; Animal nutrition helped by science; Different types of cutworm pests; Hatchability of eggs, Alberta field crop production; C.R.C. news; The melilot taint; Vaccination of horses to prevent sleeping sickness; How to turn the radio dial (by Aberhart); Bacterial diseases of cereals in Canada; Wood ashes as a source of potash; Damping off of seedlings; Virus diseases of plants; Influence of soil on choice of fertilizers; Of special interest to women voters (for free space from an advertising agency); CBK serves Alberta's farmers; Hart House quarter; Seed treatment; Common root rot of cereals; Control of seed-borne diseases of vegetables; Pig losses from anaemia; Preparation of land for seeding in Saskatchewan; Porridge, potatoes and national unity; Barley and bacon in the war chest; A lodged crop and the cause; Tomato culture and soil tests; Farmers helped by soil testing, etc. Matter rescued from the w.p.b.; includes reference to reduction of provincial license fees; Lady Tweedsmuir's farewell to "Canada, worth-while news from Edmonton and paid advertising matter."

Coleman Hockey Club report a deficit of \$1,055 for the 1939-40 season just ended. The new executive consists of F. Abousatty, A. F. Short, George Burchett, Stewart Murdoch, J. Park, A. Gentile and R. Graham, who will elect their president. G. Kellogg is honorary president, and H. G. McBurney honorary vice-president. Plans are being considered to raise money to wipe off the deficit. Committees have been appointed to take steps to arouse public interest in the installation of an artificial ice plant.

POLITICAL CAMPAIGN ON

During the week quite a number of meetings have been held in this district in the interest of the various federal and provincial candidates for the two respective constituencies.

Meetings have already been held at Bellevue, Hillcrest and Coleman by the Social Credit League. These were addressed by E. G. Hansell, federal candidate for Macleod; E. O. Duke, following an operation for appendicitis at Vancouver. Neil had been working in the Zeballos gold fields on Vancouver Island. He was born at Beaver Mines twenty-seven years ago. His brother, Kenneth, left by Monday night's train for the coast, and will accompany the remains to Pincher Creek today, where interment takes place tomorrow afternoon.

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Meetings in the interest of the Independent candidate, C. J. Tompkins, have been held at Blairmore, Pincher Creek, Lundbreck and Cowley, all well attended. At the Cowley meeting on Thursday afternoon the speakers included Mr. Tompkins, Mr. A. Noel Cox, Mr. Earl G. Cook and others. The meeting was presided over by Mr. C. J. Bundy.

A meeting in the interest of Emch Williams, Labor, was held in the Union hall, Blairmore, last night, and was fairly well attended. At the same hour a Liberal rally was in progress at the Columbus hall, where the main speakers were the candidate, Mr. F. O. McKenna, of Pincher Creek, and Senator W. A. Buchanan of Lethbridge. At this meeting several men who attempted to interrupt the speakers were politely told to "Sit down or get out!" This was Canada and not Germany! We were entitled to freedom of speech."

Meetings in the interest of Mrs. R. H. McBride, C.C.F., were held throughout the Pass earlier in the campaign, about two weeks ago.

A meeting in the interest of C. J. Tompkins, Independent candidate, will be held in the Pincher Creek opera house on Wednesday next at 8 p.m. Speakers will include M. M. Porter, K. G. Cagney, H. Bessberry and Mr. Tompkins. A meeting will be held at Beaver Mines at 2.30 p.m. on Tuesday.

Word has been received of the critical illness of Mrs. L. M. Peel at Vancouver.

A communication from Rev. R. Upson is unavoidably crowded out of this issue and will appear next week.

There are a few in the Pass who will boast about all Aberhart is doing for education, while they themselves do not know how to behave at a public meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Diamond, of the Cowley district, are rejoicing upon the arrival of a new son and heir on Thursday morning. Joe Diamond is sure going well.

The German steamship Hannover, 5,600 tons, after her crew had failed to scuttle her, was captured by allied warships and taken into Kingston harbor, Jamaica, as a war prize.

The marriage of Miss Olive, young daughter of Mr. Jack W. Eddy, of Beaver Mines, to Mr. Albert Roper, of Frank, took place at Pincher Creek last week end, Rev. Roy Taylor officiating. We understand they will take up residence at Waterton Lakes.

The post office department has made arrangements with the British postal administration whereby money orders may be sent from Canada to members of the British Expeditionary Force, including Canadian soldiers on active service overseas, whether in air, land or sea forces, for amounts not exceeding \$10. Please see your local postmaster.

It has been discovered that hundreds of names were left off provincial voter's lists in Calgary, many of them apparently intentional, including the complete staff of a city bank. In one apartment block alone, not one of twenty persons resident in the block was enumerated. The enumeration was carried out by a staff recommended for employment by the Calgary Social Credit League constituency association.

BELLEVUE HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. James Cousens and Mrs. B. Milnes left on Monday to attend the Oddfellow and Rebekah conventions in Calgary.

Mrs. Fred Padgett returned Thursday from several days spent in Calgary.

Master Billy Cousens entertained a number of little friends at his home of Tuesday evening, the occasion of his fourth birthday.

Mrs. A. Turner left on Sunday afternoon for Calgary, where she attended the Rebekah Assembly session.

Bellevue bade farewell to one of their most highly respected citizens on Thursday, when Mrs. J. D. McDonald left to take up residence in Calgary. Mrs. McDonald came to Bellevue from Littleton some twenty-five years ago, and has resided here constantly since. She was honored on the eve of her departure by the members of the Women's Auxiliary of the United Church, when she was presented with a beautiful travelling case. While here, Mrs. McDonald was ever active in church work, and her departure is very much regretted. The McDonald residence here has been taken over by Mr. and Mrs. I. Hayson.

Miss Patricia Key entertained a number of little friends at her home on Wednesday evening, the occasion of her fourth birthday.

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

A well attended meeting in the interests of the Independent candidate, Mr. C. J. Tompkins, was held in the Russell hall on Thursday afternoon, addressed by Mr. Tompkins and others.

Jack Sandeman, who is suffering a stubborn case of pneumonia, has been moved to hospital in Bellevue on the advice of Dr. Ross, his attending physician. Owing to the illness of her son, Mrs. Sandeman, who is teaching at Spindon, has returned home. She will resume her duties as teacher after the Easter holidays.

On Sunday night last the garage of Hector Lemire was broken into and a small amount of money and other articles taken. The implement warehouse of H. C. Morrison was also entered the same night, with little damage being done. As yet the culprit or culprits still at large.

Miss Hazel Blackburn and Lorry Blackburn, of Pincher Creek, and Mrs. William Cochran and Neil Nicholson, of North Fork, were guests at the Murphy home on Sunday.

The monthly meeting of the United Church Ladies Aid was held at the home of Mrs. Archie Swart on Thursday afternoon, with a good attendance. After the business of the meeting was disposed of, Mrs. J. R. Wood, who has held the office of secretary-treasurer for a number of years, was presented with a pearl necklace on her resignation from that position. Mrs. Kenneth Martin has been elected her successor. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Edward Perceval on Thursday afternoon, April 4th. Mrs. Wood and family will be leaving in a few days for their new home near Cranbrook.

Mr. Cochrane, well known farmer-rancher of the North Fork district, was in town on Wednesday afternoon.

If attendance at Social Credit campaign meetings in this district foretell Aberhart's government chances of re-election, they are indeed meagre. So far, no sound platform has been advanced, and time is wasted in criticizing the opposition.

At the annual convention of the Rebekah Assembly of Alberta this week, Mrs. Matilda Williams, of Edmonton, was elected president; Mrs. Mabel Watson, of Lethbridge, vice-president; Miss Martha Wendt, of Stettler, warden; Mrs. Ada Day, of Calgary, secretary, and Mrs. Edna Kidd, of Calgary, treasurer.

CONSERVATIVE RALLY MAR. 21

Mr. A. L. Smith, K.C., of Calgary, will address a meeting in Blairmore on Wednesday evening next in the interest of Mr. G. Rider Davis, National Government candidate. Mr. Smith will deal particularly with the Conservative policy in relation to the coal industry. See bills for further particulars.

SOCIAL CREDIT MEETING

A mass meeting in the interest of the Social Credit candidate, Mr. E. O. Duke, will be held in the Miners' Union Hall, Blairmore, on Wednesday evening next at 7.30. Speakers: E. O. Duke, Ernest Rees and others.

The many friends of Mr. Sid Newman, drummer in this territory for Conway's Limited, will regret to learn that he is confined to his home in Calgary through illness. His duties here this week are being cared for by Mr. Shaw, of the Calgary warehouse.

A novelty worth viewing is on display in the Jack Kelly Transfer office window at Pincher Creek. He has newly hatched chicks displaying more colors than are contained in an Alberta rainbow or a dripping Aberhart crocodile tear. The chicks romp around apparently proud of their attractiveness. Noted among them are blues, reds, greens, buffs, yellows, blacks and whites. Jack says his scientist has brought about this miracle by forcing the hen to view her surroundings when laying through varicolored windows. The effect is really remarkable. Of course, Jack could not explain why some were black and others the color of clear glass. Really, the chicks are dipped in dyes of different colors immediately they are hatched, and the natural colors follow later in the feathers.

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Word was received last week by Mrs. Joe Plante, of Coleman, of the serious illness of Mrs. LeGal, former resident of West Coleman, now residing at New Westminster, B.C.

The theory that chinook winds are caused by the warmth of the Japanese current in the Pacific ocean was badly dented by Bruno Engler, noted Swiss instructor. Mr. Engler says the friction caused by winds passing through narrow valley accounts for the warmth of Alberta's winters. He said similar phenomena in Switzerland are called "Goon" winds.

The Truth About The Records

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CHAPTER XV.—Continued

Starting in the withering cold of the dusk before dawn, they reached MacQueen's camp two hours before sunrise. Searching the brush and among the trees, Alan and Noel looked everywhere for a message from Heather but found only her small moccasin prints in the snow. Later in the morning, Alan, who was ahead of the team, watching for treacherous ice over quick-water, suddenly stopped, gazing intently upstream. The dogs moved up to him and lay down. "Hand me the glasses," he called to Noel at the rear of the sled.

Taking the binoculars from where they lay beside three rifles in skin cases, Noel sought them to Alan. As he looked through the glasses, a nameless fear sliced through Cameron like a knife thrust.

"Something dark—on the trail ahead," he faltered. "Wolverines at something dark—on the trail."

Handing the glasses to his friend, Alan went to the sled for his rifle.

"March, Rough!" he called in a strained voice. The team sprang to its feet and, breaking out the sled where it had started to freeze in the snow, Alan pressed ahead—the run.

As they approached, the yellowish-brown, long-bodied beasts watched him for a space, then leaving the dark thing on the trail, set off on a lop for the shore. Raising the sights on his rifle, Alan knelt, took careful aim and fired. One of the brutes fell, rose and fell again, to lie still.

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made the most of it. On through the short day he mercilessly drove himself and his team, trotting over the good going of the swept river ice and lifting and hauling the heavy sled up over the broken-up mass where the river was still open or the ice dangerous. Blinded by snow constantly masking their tortured faces, bucking the deep drifts of the portages, panting men and dogs pushed on, and on until the black night fell like a tent and drove them to shelter.

At dawn the wind had blown itself out and the snow stopped. Stiff in every muscle from the long strain, Alan dragged himself out of his sleeping bag, the pinched face in his hood black from frostbite and his lips cracked from the two days in the stinging wind and snow.

gazed into each other's startled eyes.

"Naskapi!"
"By gaw! Dat een had—veres bad!"
"Now they're headed up river far, they're going to strike his trail where he started in the young snow after the drifter! They'll follow him and sneak on his camp!" Cameron's frost-burned face graved.

"Mabe dey not hold to de riviere."
"They will and we've got to overtake them. Noel—travel all night! If the Naskapi get her, my God! It's too horrible! We've got to reach her, Noel, if we kill ourselves and the dogs!"

(To Be Continued)

Advance in Surgery

Fractured Collar Bone Can Now Be "Wired" For Quick Recovery

A Toronto General hospital surgeon has developed a new "wiring" operation whereby the use of a fractured collarbone is restored within two hours. Evening Telegram said.

Method of the surgeon, a member of the University of Toronto department of surgery and who prefers to remain anonymous, has been used also in the Toronto Hospital for Sick Children with complete success, the paper said.

In the operation, a small cut is made in the skin over the collarbone and a wire of fine steel is threaded into the spongey centre of the collarbone. The fractured ends are manipulated until they are in a normal position and the wire is carried through, holding the fracture together. A patient finds after the operation that he can move his arm and shoulder without pain.

The old method of repairing the fracture is to tape and bandage the shoulder and arm for a period of three to five weeks. During this time neither arm nor shoulder could be used.

North Pole Search

Sir Hubert Wilkins Plans To Use A Pocket Submarine

Sir Hubert Wilkins, Australian explorer, is on his way to western Canada with plans to reach the North Pole in a pocket submarine, either up along the Mackenzie river or north along the Pacific coastline.

If the Mackenzie route to the Arctic is practical, Sir Hubert intends to assemble his submarine at Edmonton during the summer months.

Otherwise, he will build it on the Pacific coast and enter the Arctic through the Bering straits. Sir Hubert told reporters the war had been abandoned and he planned to build a 120-foot submarine. In

stead, he will construct one measuring 48 feet in length by $\frac{1}{2}$ feet in diameter. Manned by four men, the craft will have an electrically heated control tower with which to melt its way through pack ice.

Sir Hubert said that while in the Arctic he planned to study marine biology and meteorology.

A Different Cake For Every Week

Just off the press is that new book of Mrs. H. M. Alken named "62 Cakes."

There's a great deal of work in getting up such a book and to be absolutely accurate each recipe is given by the author, the number of cookies as well as ordinary housekeepers to see that they get the same results.

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Rabbit Drive Netted Twenty Dollars

Rabbit Drive Prairie Town Fund

Many have been the ways devised by Canadians to raise money for the Canadian Red Cross, and the residents of Antler, Sask., made an unusual past pay dividends.

More than 157 rabbits were chased into a specially-built corral by men and women who covered an area of approximately four miles in their search for the bunnies, the sale of which netted \$20. The money will be added to the Red Cross money already gathered by Antler residents.

When printed in Braille type for the blind, "Don Quixote", the famous satirical novel, fills 12 volumes and weighs more than 40 pounds.

"Man do no wrong."

"Right. If there's a mistake made at home, it's his wife's fault, and if there's one made at the office, it's his

boss's fault."

"I hear you've got a new maid."

"Yes—the last one handled China

as if she were Japan."

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Mr. Caffeine-Nerves Gets Erased

OFFICE MANAGER: Sorry I lost my temper, Miss Jones—I don't know why my nerves are so jittery lately!



MR. CAFFEINE-NERVES:
This office would drive anybody to the nut-house!

SECRETARY: I think I know your trouble—too much tea or coffee! You've got caffeine-nerves and the thing that will fix that is to drink Postum instead.



30 DAYS LATER
OFFICE MANAGER: Miss Jones, you're psychic! I've been drinking Postum for a month and now I can't figure out why I was always so upset!



MR. CAFFEINE-NERVES:
I'm always erased when they switch to Postum!



ROYALTY VISITS THE CLYDESDALE

Queen Elizabeth Concerned Over After-The-War Problem

Queen Elizabeth displayed solicitude for the war's aftermath in the non-hustling Clydesdale as the King and Queen visited John Brown and Company's yard, the most famous on the Clyde.

Expressing pleasure at improved employment in Glasgow and on the Clydeside, Her Majesty remarked that she was sorry to think it was due largely to war work.

"What I am anxious about is what is going to happen in the future," she added. "Have you considered the problem of what will occur after the war?"

Three Glasgow councillors, who accompanied Their Majesties and Winston Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, said the problem was receiving serious consideration.

Kipling's Home A Memorial

Has Been Guarded Carefully With That Object In Mind

Batemann's, the lovely 16th century home of Rudyard Kipling, may become a national shrine. Mrs. Kipling planned and served and cared for it to the last for that purpose.

Little was known of Mrs. Kipling for she was of a shy, retiring nature and disliked publicity of any kind. They were married when Kipling was 28 and lived in a little bungalow in America where he finished "Many Inventions" and began "The Jungle Book."

In these early days, she was his secretary, banker, business agent and farm superintendent and even his gentle against those who would invade privacy.

Just a Demonstration

Thomas Burke, Portland, Ore., wiped the dishes during while his wife described the story of a wife throwing act. "He threw it just like this." And Mrs. Burke whistled a knife across the kitchen. Then she sped her husband to a hospital. The knife had cut a deep gash in his thigh.

Tip for Motorists

To start a flooded automobile engine quickly, disconnect the air intake pipe leading from the intake manifold to the windshield wiper or vacuum tank, thus letting raw air into the manifold. When the gasoline burns, after starting the engine, close the connections again.

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NEWS FROM EDMONTON

(T. B. Windross)

Edmonton, March 12. — The final phase of Alberta's election campaign is under way this week.

The election on Thursday of next week will be the most critical in the province's history, with Albertans themselves deciding what kind of legislature and government they are going to have for the next five years of war-time and, it is hoped, of post-war planning.

The question has boiled down, they said, to these alternatives: whether Albertans are going to continue under the party rule of the Social Credit regime, with its promises of basic dividends and its claims of "protection," but its performance of heavily increased taxation and its isolation of Alberta from outside confidence and development, or whether Albertans are going to send non-party representatives to the legislature, each man free to follow his own convictions without fear of party discipline or hope of party ballyhoo.

Although there are three dozen C. C. F. candidates in the field, there is little possibility of enough of them being elected to have a majority in the legislature and the right to form a government themselves; it is acknowledged in political circles here. The chief contest is between the Social Credit party machine throughout the province and the Independent candidate in each constituency.

The fact that the Independent candidate in practically all constituencies has cut deeply into Social Credit support, so obviously that Independents are expected now to sweep the south and take many of the northern seats as well, was emphasized last week by renewed threats from William Aberhart and his organization against the Independent cause. A new propaganda pamphlet, entitled "The Money Power's Plan for Alberta," alleged that "financial interests" are backing the Independents and pledging them to restore full bond interest charges and "permit seizure of property." The pamphlet contradicted itself, however, by predicting that the "legislature of Independents will be disunited because it will have no united policy."

The most interesting point about the pamphlet was the note that it was published and perhaps paid for by the Social Credit League, instead of being printed at the expense of the public treasury like most of the previous propaganda of the Social Credit party. Political wiseacres consider it vicious but ineffective propaganda, because the voters in each constituency know the man whom they have nominated as Independent candidate, and know that he is working for no one and is responsible to no one except the electors in his own riding.

In spite of the seriousness of the Social Credit party seeking to help itself politically by publishing false propaganda at the expense of the public treasury in "The Records Tell the Story," there was amusement last week at an explanation given for the false figures and other misstatements set out in that pamphlet. J. H. Unwin, Social Credit whip and M.L.A. for Edson, and candidate for that seat again, stated solemnly that the falsehoods in the propaganda were put in there by a Liberal stenographer employed in the parliament buildings.

He did not attempt to explain how the false statements escaped editing and proof-reading and then appeared again in a "revised" and reprinted issue of the pamphlet.

Figures on taxation, revenue and expenditures are juggled cleverly in both editions of the booklet, but few electors could know it because copies of the provincial official accounts to check them are scarce and expensive.

The most obvious falsehood in the pamphlet, repeated in the revised edition, is the claim that the boundaries of Manitoba, Ontario and Quebec have been extended to the Arctic circle, and "why not Alberta's?" A glance at the map of Canada shows that Manitoba's most northerly point is exactly the same as Alberta's, that Ontario is on a level with McMurray, Alberta, and that Quebec extends 250 miles further north than Alberta, but still 275 miles south of the Arctic circle. Contrary to the pamphlet's claim, no commercial deposits of iron, lead or zinc have been discovered in the Northwest Territories. Only great ignorance of Canada, or deliberate falsification with the optimistic hope of escaping detection, could have permitted such statements. But, it was commented, those statements followed the standard of truth throughout the pamphlet, a government document printed at public expense although for party political purposes.

ON THE AIR

Announcer: "Tell me, Miss LaMoor, don't you find Beaudent Toothpaste refreshing and pleasing to the taste?"

Girl: "I certainly do."

Announcer: "Doesn't its snow-white foam reach to the farthest corners of your mouth?"

Girl: "It sure does."

Announcer: "Do you find Beaudent makes your teeth sparkle like precious gems?"

Girl: "Yes, sir."

Announcer: "Is it your opinion that Beaudent is by far the most popular toothpaste in the world?"

Girl: "It is."

Announcer: "Well, Miss LaMoor, you certainly have convinced me?"

—Punch.

This reminds us of the dialogue between Premier Aberhart and Mr. Manning on Alberta's price fixing board.—Coleman Journal.

Bert Kellicut, of Granum, is a patient in the Macleod hospital, suffering from burns received through an explosion.



HON. R. J. MANION, M.P.

Leader of the Conservative Party, Who bases his appeal to the electors on the formation of a national government. He has a distinguished career as a soldier and political leader. His party's candidate in this riding is Mr. G. Rider Davis, of Macleod.

WHY CLUTTER UP THE NEST?
Dedicated to Premier Wm. Aberhart

Part III.

Recall upon election night you gave your solemn word,
(And we who have supported you,
we wondered as we heard.)

You told the money barons that they had no cause for fear—
Their rights would be respected while you held the reins out here.

We know you promised everything to all beneath the sun;

But, Sir, if you kept ANY pledge,
that surely was the one!

If you really sought for guidance in the Social Credit plan,

Why, then, was Mr. Major chosen as your handy man?

Were you ever on the path, Sir, very quickly you disengaged,

You never TRIED to lay the egg—
why clutter up the nest?

At last there came the Session we'd awaited for so long,

And there, again, you showed your flair for always going wrong.

A very special aptitude, that dreary session through,

For doing just the things your people hoped you WOULDNT do;

Your "pity for the suffering" was shown to be a hoax.

When you imposed the sales tax, Sir, on poor downtrodden folks;

Nor was this all you did, kind Sir, nor was it yet the worst

To prove that claims of creditors with

MARY & JIM



I SEE THE WAR IS COSTING CANADA A MILLION DOLLARS A DAY

THAT'S RIGHT. WAR COSTS MONEY

CUT OUT WASTE



WELL, IT IS BETTER TO SPEND MONEY THAN LOSE CANADA TO HITLER

RIGHT, BUT I HATE WASTE



WHAT WASTE?

THEY'RE STILL SPENDING AT OTTAWA AS IF THERE WAS NO WAR



PATRONAGE—JUST PARTY PATRONAGE! ONLY BOB MANION'S NATIONAL GOVERNMENT CAN FIX THAT

A NATION AT WAR NEEDS
A NATIONAL GOVERNMENT
Vote for
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you came ever first.
To show the rights of Big Shots would have full protection here.
You killed the Debt Adjustment Act which country folk held dear;
You had the wolves of finance bairn'en up and get them bold;
You flung the door wide open to the undefended fold.
We pause, Sir, to remind you, ers continuing our quest,
You never TRIED to lay the egg—
why clutter up the nest?

The strong stood by with gnashing teeth, the weak bowed down to weep,

While, rank on rank, the wolves closed in upon the helpless sheep;

The slaughter did continue, Sir, that

drearly summer through,
And everyone enjoyed it save the glutted wolves and you.
At last your stalwarts all arose,
against you every one,
And forced you to repair the wrong
that you, yourself, had done;
You brought yourself great offerings
of myrrh and spiken and cloves,
Crying, "Lo, the mighty Aberhart has saved us from the wolves!"

We admit that grabbing glory is the thing that you do best,
But you never TRIED to lay the egg—
why clutter up the nest?

* The first "insurgency" which Aberhart faced was when the back-benchers forced him to call a special session to enact new debt legislation

to replace that which he repealed at the regular session.

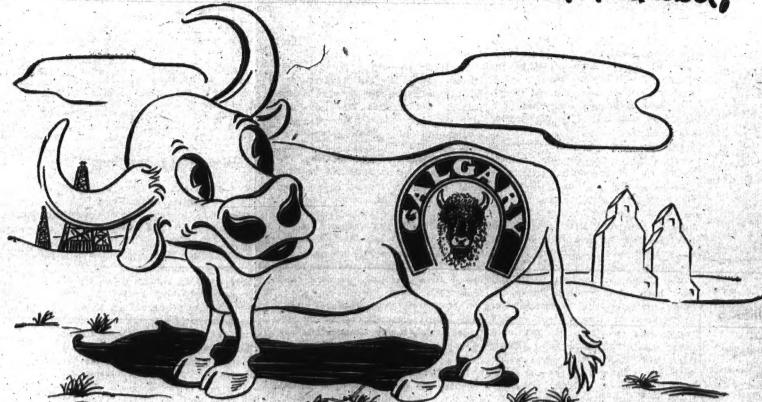
(To be continued)

The People's Weekly

The Columbia Icefield Highway, which connects Jasper and Banff national parks, will be officially opened to traffic on Dominion Day, July 1st.

We procured a ticket from Frank Beebe on Friday last—then noticed it was for a hockey game at Frank in 1902. Mark Drumm was manager-proprietor of the rink and the ticket was sold to T. B. Martin, entitling him as a member of the Victoria Hockey Club to all privileges of the Riverside Rink during the season 1902-03.

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"NEW" CALGARY GINGER ALE**

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MCKENNA X ... Liberal

On March 26



F. O. MCKENNA

Keep Canada's War Effort United!

Experienced Leaders are

VITAL for VICTORY

In six months of war the Mackenzie King Administration has set an unprecedented record of getting things done without fuss and fury. Under its steady leadership, Canada has gone ahead on all fronts—war, economic and domestic. With clear heads and feet on the ground, this group of purposeful men is making every ounce of Canada's weight felt in our fight for freedom. What it has done has been done thoroughly; there has been no loose thinking; no half-measures; no waste of men, money or materials.

Some of the Mackenzie King Administration Wartime Accomplishments

It united Canada as never before—Every province is heart and soul behind the Empire's war effort; this time, thanks to the Administration's truly national policies.

The First Division, completely equipped, has been sent overseas to a Mother country prepared to receive it.

The Second Division is recruited, equipped and ready to go over.

The great Export Air Training Scheme, sponsored and mainly financed in Canada, has been launched on a planned and ordered basis.

Naval Defence for both East and West Coasts including Air Forces, Mine Sweeping and Convoying, has functioned efficiently since the outbreak of War. Of it, a Senior British Naval Authority has said: "No finer work is being done anywhere by the Royal Navy itself."

Price Control of all commodities, including such necessities as food and sugar, has been established, with prices held low for the poor man. The profit is out, and will be kept out—in marked contrast to the free-for-all of the last war.

Shipping Control and Foreign Exchange Control are firmly established on sound lines and are functioning smoothly and effectively.

A \$200,000,000 War Loan was over-subscribed within two days of its launching, a record that proves public confidence. Its reasonable rate of 3½% contrasts with 5½% tax-free rate of the last war.

Political and Private Patronage has been stamped out: merit is the sole basis for selection or promotion in our armed forces.

On March 26th show your faith; vote for the Candidate supporting Mackenzie King and help make sure there can be no break in Canada's steadfast stand in these critical times.

FORWARD WITH MACKENZIE KING

The National Liberal Federation of Canada, Ottawa, Ontario.

SPECIAL REDUCED RAILWAY FARES FOR EASTER

GOOD GOING

Mar. 21 to 2 p.m. Mar 25
GOOD TO RETURN UNTIL
MARCH 26, 1946

Ask Railway Ticket Agent.
TRAVEL

Canadian Pacific

SWIFT'S EASTER WEEK

Each year, during the week prior to Easter, an intensive advertising campaign is conducted by the Swift Canadian Co. in the interest of their well known high grade products. The Enterprise has always shared in this campaign and this week carries the usual large booster ad.

The local district representative of Swift Canadian interests is Mr. Milt Ray, of Ferme, who for years has successfully covered the territory from Ferme to Pincher Creek and Brocket. Householders are urged to make their Easter purchases early. Local stores are ready to serve them.

Wythe Williams, editor of the Greenwich, Conn., Times, told a church forum that he had received information from Germany that Hitler will launch his army on a desperate attack against France on March 21st.

BREATHES THERE A MAN

Breathes there the man who never scratched his head, nor perplexedly to himself hath said Where is my dividend? Whose ears has never within him burned, As home his footsteps he hath turned To find his pleadings have been spurned, And still no dividend. If such there breathes, go mark him well.

For him no expectant raptures swell. He probably told Able to go to 'ell— He didn't expect any dividend.

—North Fork Hit-Hard.

We notice that practically all of the names on the provincial voters' lists represent persons of more than thirteen years of age. Maybe the thirteen-year-olds will not be allowed to vote this time.

PAY AND ALLOWANCE IN ARMY AND NAVY COMPARE FAVORABLY

According to figures issued by the department of national defence, rates of pay in the Canadian navy compare favorably with those in the army. A full-fledged seaman, who is married, receives the usual \$1.85 per day plus a marriage allowance for his wife of 75 cents a day, or \$78.00 per month. For a six months period of apprenticeship his daily pay may be only \$1.50 per day or a total of \$67.50, with marriage allowance. Few married seamen belong to the lower rating. Those who are will be advanced to \$1.85 per day within six months. Rates for a private soldier are \$1.80 per day, or \$89.00 for a 30-day month. If he had a wife, she is given an allowance of \$35.00, the combined total being \$74.00 a month.

Following is a comparative list of marriage allowance rates for wives and children for the army and navy, combined with regular pay: wife and one child, army \$86.00, navy \$85.50; wife and two children, army \$98, navy \$98; wife and three children, army \$98, navy \$100.50; wife and four children, army \$98; navy \$108. No allowance is made in the army for more than two children; in the navy allowance is made for children up to four in number.

Mr. Carl Anderson has been quite ill at his home on River Drive, but is recovering improving.

The value of Social Credit dividends took a jump from \$25 to \$100 last week end. Should be excellent bait—and watch, you can't stop the thirteen-year-old mentalities from swallowing sinker and all as they did in 1935.

Province of Alberta Department of Agriculture Protect Your Horses

Equine Encephalomyelitis (Sleeping Sickness)

An outbreak of the disease may occur in Alberta this season.

VACCINATION

with Chick Vaccine is the only preventative.

PROCEDURE:

1. Vaccinate before seeding.
2. Two doses are required, given seven to fourteen days apart.
3. The Vaccine is available at Drug Stores, or may be obtained from Veterinarians, and some Municipal Districts may handle it.
4. If a qualified Veterinarian is not available, the Vaccine should be administered by some other person trained by a Veterinarian. Farmers wishing to do so many obtain a syringe and learn how to vaccinate their own horses.

Vaccine is effective only when administered prior to the outbreak of the disease.

Vaccinate Early!

The Department of Agriculture recommends vaccination as an insurance against loss.

HON. D. B. MULLEN,
Minister of Agriculture.

That picture of Aberhart feeding his jam wagon, that appeared in the Calgary Herald on Saturday last, was commented upon as "true to life."

The many local district friends of Mr. M. H. Herman, drummer for the Union Packing Co., will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Herman, which occurred at Lethbridge last week end. The remains have been shipped to Nebraska for interment.

And now somebody has found out the reason for calling a locomotive "she." The following reasons were advanced recently by A. A. Gardiner, assistant traffic manager of the Canadian National Railways: "They wear jackets with yokes, pins, hangers, straps and stays. They have aprons, also a cap, and not only shoes, but pumps and hose. They surmount great obstacles, but sometimes jump the track at the slightest provocation."

MONOGRAM

CANADIAN
RYE WHISKY

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LET'S HELP ALBERTA

Most of the people of this province have been residents here for considerable periods of time. Most of them have the whole or the major part of their small stake here. They love this province and they are willing to make sacrifices, if necessary, for its welfare, but they do not intend to go on making these sacrifices for the welfare of a government and an organization which has made the name of their province a laughing-stock across the Dominion.

Such slogans as "Social Credit" are not being used in this election other than as the name of the Aberhart party. The name is being used purely as a device to enlist support for the premier's party. There has been nothing of Social Credit in the past your years and a half, and it is reasonable to assume that if the present government is returned it will continue on the same basis.

If you want Treasury Branches to continue to waste the people's money; if you want your civil service to be loaded up with party heelers; if you want your taxes to be raised, you will vote for the Aberhart party. They have already accomplished these things. But if you want your province to continue its well-deserved progress; if you want your children to be proud of the name of Alberta, and if you want your provincial debt refunded on a basis satisfactory for both taxpayer and bondholder, then you will vote against the Aberhart candidates.—Red Deer Advocate.

And now they say that the idea of basic dividends originated in the vicinity of Ponoka.

Teacher: "Parse the sentence, 'Tom married Jane'."

Small Boy: "Tom's a noun, because he's the name of something. Married's a conjunction, because it joins Tom and Jane. Jane's a verb, because she governs the noun."

"Doctor, my wife has lost her voice. What can I do about it?"

Doc: "Try going home late some night."

The Ponoka Gazette states that "Social Credit is strongly entrenched, and the issue is in doubt; and that there are 300 votes at the mental hospital."

**for EASTER**

Between all points in Western Canada
Tickets on Sale March 21 to March 25

Return Limit: March 26

SPECIAL TIME LIMIT for TEACHERS & STUDENTS

Tickets on Sale Daily to March 27

Return Limit: April 9, 1940.

ONE WAY FARE
FOR THE ROUND TRIP
TO THE SPRING STOCK SHOWS
BRITISH COLUMBIA
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o REGINA

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Return Limit: March 30, 1940.

SASKATOON

Tickets on Sale March 27 to March 30

Return Limit: April 1, 1940.

CALGARY

Tickets on Sale April 1 to April 6

Return Limit: April 9, 1940.

EDMONTON

Tickets on Sale April 6 to April 12

Return Limit: April 15, 1940.

SPECIAL TIME LIMIT for JUDGES AND EXHIBITORS

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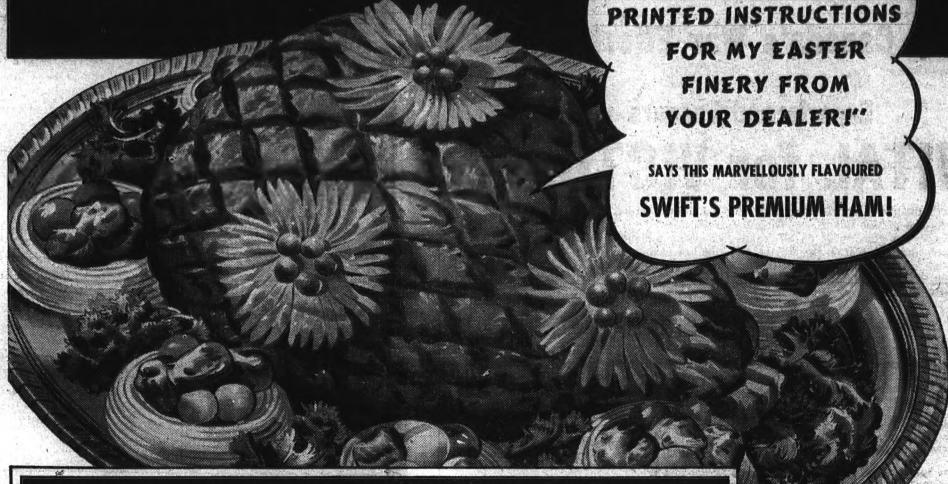
Your Local Agent

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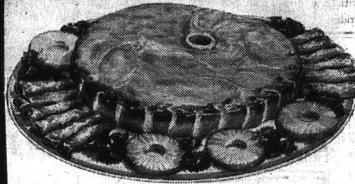
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SAYS THIS MARVELLOUSLY FLAVOURED
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Or for smaller families, of course it's the new Premium CENTRE SLICES!



Slices of SWIFT'S PREMIUM HAM!
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Swift's Premium because that marvellous flavour and spring-chicken tenderness has made it Canada's choice, not only for festive occasions such as this, but for smash-hit meals the year 'round!

Avoid disappointment. Be sure to speak for your half, whole or Centre Slices of Swift's Premium Ham well in advance of the Easter rush! Swift Canadian Co., Limited.



SPECIAL PRE-EASTER DEALER TIPS!

Your Easter business will swing largely to sales of whole or half Premium Hams. But there will be scores of housewives with small families who will want Centre Slices if they know about them. Oblige these women and you will make friends who will return to you for their purchases of Premium Ham and other products in the future. And state the Centre Slice case to those heads of small families who might otherwise forego sizzling hot Premium Ham because they aren't aware of this modern method of shopping.

Of course you'll recommend Swift's Premium BACON for Easter breakfast and for meals the year 'round! Canadian families have learned to prefer the "Sweet Smoke Taste" from Swift's secret Sugar Cure and special Smoking in Ovens. Happy Easter!

THE VOTE OF THOUSANDS of Canadian families like this one resulted in a landslide majority for Swift's Premium Ham! In the recent questionnaire published by 72 Canadian newspapers in the period before Christmas, more than 90 per cent of the respondents of Swift's Premium Ham than of any other brand of smoked ham!

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ELECTION NOTICE

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Pursuant to the requirements of Section 35, paragraph 2, of the Alberta Election Act

N. F. WM. PICARD, Notary Public, of Blairmore, Alberta, has been appointed official agent for Ernest Oscar Duke, School Teacher, Camrose, Alberta;

ROBERT FULTON BARNES, Barrister, of Coleman, Alberta, has been appointed official agent for Chrysostom John Tompkins, Agent, Blairmore, Alberta, and

JOSEPH KROSKY, Agent and Organizer, of Blairmore, Alberta, has been appointed official agent for Enoch Williams, Miner, Blairmore, Alberta.

JACK DUDLEY, Returning Officer,
Pincher Creek - Crows' Nest Division.

FIGURES OF THREE ALBERTA ELECTIONS

Edmonton, March 12.—Following was the popular vote in the last three Alberta general elections, with the number of members elected in brackets:

	1926	1930	1935
Social Credit			163,700 (66)
U. F. A.	71,967 (43)	74,187 (39)	33,063
Liberal	47,450 (7)	46,275 (11)	69,845 (5)
Conservative	40,091 (4)	25,449 (6)	19,358 (2)
Labor	14,123 (6)	14,354 (4)	5,086
Independent	1,254	27,954 (3)	4,177
Liberal-Independent	252		
Communist			5,771
Others			752
Total votes polled	175,127	188,219	301,752
Total names on list		293,758	378,249

Ice moved out of the Crows' Nest. The record will tell the story on River on Thursday, March 14th. March 21st.



GRIER RIDER DAVIS

Grier Rider Davis, National Conservative candidate for the Macleod Federal Constituency, has lived in Southern Alberta practically all his life. His father, the late D. W. Davis, came to Alberta in 1870 and was the first Federal member for Alberta, from 1888 to 1896. His mother was also of a pioneer family, being the daughter of Curran Grier and a sister of Josephine Grier and the late D. J. Grier, pioneer ranchers and wheat growers of the Macleod district. As a boy, Mr. Davis accompanied his family to the Yukon and lived there from 1897 to 1902, during the Gold Rush days. From 1902 to 1906, he attended Upper Canada College at Toronto, and then returned to Macleod. He was actively engaged in farming for about fifteen years and still owns the old homestead on the Belly River, where the late Frank Strong and D. W. Davis operated a horse ranch in the eighties and early nineties.

He was Sheriff and Clerk of the Supreme Court of the Judicial District of Macleod from 1924 to 1934, when he resigned to take over the law practice of Joseph D. Matheson, K.C., who was elevated to the Bench. He has been practicing law in Macleod from 1934 to the present time. He served on the Town Council for two years and was elected Mayor in 1939. He is married and has one son. In Federal politics he has been a Conservative; in Provincial politics he took an active part in the U.F.A. movement and was official agent for the late W. H. Sheld in 1921 and 1935. He is well acquainted with conditions in the Macleod Federal Constituency and he states that he will support all legislation beneficial to agriculture, coal mining and the oil industry in his constituency.

Abie should have told his radio audience that he was running off bent for election.

Vine Waiters, of Lundbreck, recently underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Macleod hospital.

A guest at the Cosmopolitan hotel on Saturday last for a few hours happened to be a large gopher, which was finally captured with the assistance of The Enterprise mascot, Lady.

Little Willie says there is no justice. He says that the cat licks her paws and gets praised for it; but when he licks his, he gets a lecture on table manners.

What's in a name? The Calgary Albertan has changed McBurney's name to McBURNEY. Anyhow, change Mac's name all you like, and he's still that same popular Coleman citizen.

The German government, it is claimed, has issued special food cards for large dogs—those at least sixteen inches high—entitling them to certain rations of meat and bones. The small dogs, apparently, must get on as best they may. And who has ever seen a large dog steal a bone from a smaller one?

Russell Potter, of Borden, Manitoba, and Keith McLean, of Coleman, Alberta, each are to receive \$500 from the estate of the late Alexander M. Morrison, Coleman businessman who died at Vancouver on January 21st. His widow, Mrs. Jessie L. Morrison, receives the balance of the \$12,468 estate in the will filed in supreme court for probate.

MARK YOUR BALLOT

Grier Rider Davis X

For the National Conservative Candidate for the
MACLEOD FEDERAL CONSTITUENCY

VOTE

National Conservative

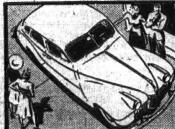
for
A National Government and
Canadian Markets for Canadian Coal

Inserted by the Macleod National Conservative Association

Owing to a house shortage at Cole man, Mr. and Mrs. Collier have been obliged for the present to take up residence in Blairmore. Mr. Collier is connected with the new Ironside & Parks' dry cleaning plant at Coleman, and was formerly connected with the company's plant at Lethbridge.

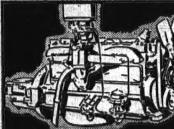
Charles II of England once asked Stillingfleet, the famous clergyman, why he read his sermons from manuscript. "Why do you read your speeches from the throne?" countered the minister. "Because," replied the King, "I have asked the people so often for money, I am ashamed to look them in the face."

Fred ascended to the top of the ski-way on Saturday morning before daylight to say his prayers. Fred claims that the higher you get the easier it is for prayers from his weak voice to be heard. After relieving himself of his devotional exercises, he descended the mountain side quite gracefully on the waxed timber.

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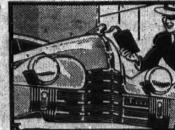
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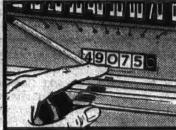
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Considering its size, power and quality, Olds costs you less because it gives you more—and at that Oldsmobile prices start down to the lowest point. Buy a big, new Olds and you save money!



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Oldsmobile's quality standards in materials and workmanship are reflected in long life and minimum repair. It's the last word in expense. Come in and see how you get more and save more with Olds!

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BIGGER AND BETTER IN EVERYTHING!

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LADY TWEEDSMUIR

Lady Tweedsmuir will be heard over the national network of the C.B.C. on Sunday, March 17, from 7:30 to 7:35 M.S.T., in a farewell message to the people of Canada.

IN THE
ANCIENT ROMAN EMPIRE

In 400 B.C. beer was popular with the Armenians, while during the first century of the Christian era the Germans and the natives of West Europe (Spain and Gaul) improved the process, and beer made from barley and malt was the popular drink. The Romans were also brewers of beer. Barley was known to them says Virgil, who uses it in the plural form "hordeum." Beer and vinegar were the drinks of Caesar's soldiers.

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MADE IN ALBERTA
BEERS
*ARE the FINEST that
SCIENCE and MODERN
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ORDER a CASE TODAY

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FOR ME THAN MEDICINE!**



"I couldn't make up my mind which was worse — to endure constipation or try to cure it with harsh purgatives. Now I do neither. I prevent it by eating Kellogg's All-Bran. It's a lack of intestinal bulk that causes this common type of constipation. All-Bran supplies the needed bulk and also the intestinal tonic vitamin E. I eat it as a cereal or in delicious muffins. It's great to be 'regular' again." You can get All-Bran from any grocer. Made by Kellogg's in London, Canada.

**Kellogg's
ALL-BRAN**

GET YOUR OUNCE OF PREVENTION EVERY DAY

Chemistry In Agriculture

The current year marks two events of more than passing interest and importance to the agricultural industry of Canada, for 1940 is the one-hundredth anniversary of the birth of the chemical fertilizer industry in Great Britain, and January of this year brought to a close the life of Dr. Frank Thomas Shutt, C.B.E., who for nearly half a century, as Dominion chemist, labored to make available to the farmers of this country the benefits of higher yields and greater profits through the application of scientific fertilizers.

To date the use of chemical fertilizers has not been applied by Western Canadian farmers on a wide scale as a means of increasing yields of cereal crops, but a new factor has arisen which may serve as a stimulus to the utilization of chemicals to promote more rapid and vigorous growth and to increase yields. Reference is made to the fact that this year's grain crop in Canada is likely to be produced under conditions of greater demand due to the exigencies of war, always providing, of course, that the war does not collapse within the next month or two, a probability which appears to be somewhat remote at the time of writing.

Although comparatively few farmers in Western Canada are using chemicals on a considerable scale, it is now generally recognized that, under certain soil and climatic conditions, earlier maturity and greater yields can be induced by the judicious use of chemical fertilizers. The farmer, however, has to be something of a scientist himself, if he is to be able to secure the maximum benefit which may be derived from their application to the crop. For instance, he should know something of the chemical composition of the soil in which his crops are grown. He should know the constituents in which his soils are deficient and should make a study of weather and moisture content conditions, so that he will know when it will be profitable to apply artificial stimulants to his grain and when it will not pay him to do so.

Value Is Variable

Farmers have found, for instance, that during dry years it does not pay to apply chemical fertilizers to the crops except in the earlier stages of their growth while there is sufficient spring moisture in the soil to render them readily soluble. At this stage, growth is hastened, resulting in earlier maturity. If drought continues throughout the growing season, farmers have found that later applications do not further stimulate growth or increase yields, and in some cases they are actually a deterrent. This, it is believed, is due to the fertilizer remaining too concentrated to benefit the plant.

Students of agriculture learn that the complete fertilizer consists of three principal constituents—nitrogen, phosphorous and potash. Technical agriculturists recognize that, generally speaking, the soil in the northern bush areas of the three provinces is deficient in nitrogen and this lack is believed to be due to the leaching of the soil by rains. The principal deficiency in the southern areas of these provinces is said to be phosphorous, and the blame for lack of phosphorous is expressed in the belief that continuous cropping to cereals has exhausted the land of phosphates. These, of course are generalities and may vary greatly in individual districts and on individual farms, depending upon conditions, the nature of the soil, the use to which it has been put and the methods of farming which have been followed.

Great Strides Made

From Europe, in 1888, one year after he was appointed Dominion chemist, the late Mr. Shutt brought back to this country the discovery made in that year by Helbig and Wilfart of Bernburg, Saxony, that leguminous plants are able to extract nitrogen from the air, though the need of nitrogen in the soil to stimulate the growth of plants of other orders was recognized as long ago as 1795. It was in 1840, however, that Lawes discovered at Rothamstead, England, that superphosphates, which he produced by treating old bones with sulphuric acid, would stimulate the growth of turnips. Two years later he started the world's first fertilizer factory at Deptford, thus founding an industry which has been growing ever since.

As stated by Leonard L. Knott, in "The Oval", house organ of Canadian Industries, Ltd.:

"In 100 years the science of the soil travelled a long way. The modern farmer is no longer a haphazard tiller of the soil, dependent entirely upon a grudging nature. In the laboratories of Great Britain, Europe and Canada scientific aids have been developed and are still being developed to aid his hardened hands. In Canada for instance, in the laboratories of C.I.L. scientific farming is an accepted fact. Industrial chemistry remains true to the land and modern soil chemists carry on the tasks set for them a century ago."

Long-Distance Chess

The Greater German Chess Association announced that 500 German soldiers in the Westwall fortifications were now playing long-distance chess with one another, making each move by postcard. Each soldier plays three games at once.

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Control THE SPASMS OF Whooping Cough with BUCKLEY'S Mixture

Cold winter weather may reduce the cranking ability of a battery 50 per cent. or more.

The child born on the Mayflower during its epic voyage to America was named Peregrine White.

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ALLIES EXCEED GERMANY IN AIR FORCE EXPANSION

London.—It is officially reported in London that the army and navy have been seeking control of the air force insofar as it supports their various activities.

Great Britain and France have passed Germany on the basis of numerical expansion of their air forces. Sir Kingsley Wood, secretary of state for air, declared in the House of Commons. On the basis of quality, the Allies are far ahead.

Sir Kingsley won a point against army control Jan. 9 when the cabinet announced that R.A.F. units in France would be unified under Air Marshal A. S. Barratt rather than under army command. Marshal Barratt consults with Viscount Gort, commander of the field forces.

Winston Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, is understood to want the R.A.F. coastal patrol placed under admiralty rule.

This force, assigned to ward off German raiders, acts in liaison with the navy, and is under command of Air Marshal Sir Frederick Bowhill.

Its problems were extended when German planes made a surprise turn-of-the-war of the war. Two Germans bombed and machine-gunned the 656-ton British tanker Shebrib II, and a lightship off the Norfolk coast broadcast an SOS during a similar attack.

A delayed report of another large British tanker sunk by submarine action was relayed from Amsterdam, where the newspaper Shipping was quoted as saying the San Flor entino, 12,842 tons, had been torpedoed off Land's End.

If she was destroyed, she would be the sixth largest merchant ship loss of the war. She was almost as large as the torpedoed British liner Athena.

The 580-foot vessel is owned by the Eagle Oil and Shipping Company, limited, of London. She was built in 1918 at Newcastle. Her beam measured 65 feet and she had a depth of 42 feet.

Safeguarding Exports

Permit Gives Shippers Using Canadian Ports Protection Against Delays.

Ottawa.—In a move to increase safeguards against Canadian exports being held up in Britain, the prime minister announced last Canadian exports to all European neutral countries except Eire, Portugal and Turkey now require an export permit issued by the national revenue minister.

Since Jan. 23 exports to neutral countries contiguous to enemy and enemy-occupied territories have required a permit. The new order extended the same control to exports to non-contiguous countries that Canadian goods may not reach Germany even indirectly.

This extension also is designed to give Canadian exporters and shipping companies using Canadian ports the same protection against contraband control delays as neutral exporters receive from the navicular system now available to United States exporters.

Apology From Russia

Stockholm.—An official announcement said the Russian government had handed the Swedish legation in Moscow a note apologizing for the bombing of Pajala, Swedish town near the Finnish border, on Feb. 21 by Red army planes. Previously the Soviet government had denied the bombing.

Moscow's Food Supply

London.—Moscow's food supply is "worse than at any time since the famine of 1933," Spencer Williams, secretary of the American-Russian chamber of commerce, said in an interview broadcast to an United States. Williams had returned to London after 10 years in Russia.

Copper From Tasmania

Hobart, Tasmania.—Surplus copper to a specified tonnage will be supplied by the British government by the Mount Lyell mines here. The quantity may be as much as 7,000 tons a year.

Prepare For Air Raids

London.—Great Britain moved to register children in her cities for the purpose of prompt dispersal in event of spring air raids.

Hungarian Nazis

Budapest.—Sixty members of the Hungarian Nazi party have been arrested on charges of plotting against members of the government.

Raid on Maginot Line

Germans Raid Sector Held By British Expeditionary Forces

London.—The war office issued the following communiqué on the German raid on a Maginot line post of the British expeditionary force:

A raid on March 5 on a Maginot line sector took place under cover of a barrage of mortar and machine-gun fire at dawn. The enemy succeeded in entering the post, which was held by part of a platoon of infantry.

The platoon sergeant-major was killed. The Germans left one dead in the post, suffered casualties during their withdrawal from artillery and machine-gun fire.

"Several of our men are missing." The German news agency identified the platoon attacked as belonging to the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. It asserted that this was the first time the Germans had had an actual fight with British troops on the Western Front in this war. It said the Germans lost one man.

A hectic exchange of hand grenade and artillery fire preceded the dugout storming, according to the news agency, and the English left 20 dead on the scene, while the Germans lost only one man.

The German shock troops' surprise attack was said by the agency to have disclosed that the British apparently had stationed in only one small point of the front line, flanked on both sides by the French.

Appointment Announced

Fredrickton Business Man Is Lieutenant-Governor Of New Brunswick

Ottawa.—William George Clark of Fredericton has been appointed Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, Prime Minister Mackenzie King announced.

He succeeds Hon. Murray MacLaren whose five-year term expired Feb. 8. The new lieutenant-governor was Liberal member of the last parliament for York-Sunbury, N.B.

Prominent New Brunswick businessman, he is president of J. Clark and Sons, a motor car and farm implement sales enterprise.

May End Argument

Youngest Canadian In War Fifteen-Year-Old Toronto Boy

Toronto.—Maybe this will end the argument about who is the youngest member of the Canadian Active Service Force. Private Alex C. Berwick of the Toronto Scottish regiment, now in England, celebrated his 15th birthday with his regiment at Aldershot last January.

Berwick's family here explained that the boy joined up a few weeks before war broke out and the youngster big for his age, received permission to go overseas when the unit left Canada.

Russian Freighters

Reported To Be Bound For Mexico To Load Lead And Copper

Mexico City.—Two Soviet Russian freighters were reportedly ready to be en route to the Pacific coast port of Manzanillo to load Mexican lead and United States copper for Vladivostok.

The expected arrival of the freighters Minas and Engels will follow the recent departure of two other Soviet vessels with similar cargoes, amounting to more than 12,000 tons.

Prisoners Of War

International Red Cross Places The Number At 750

Geneva.—The International Red Cross Prisoners' Bureau said that its lists show fewer than 300 Germans, 300 French and 150 Britons are held prisoners after more than six months of war.

Officials said they had "every reason to believe" their lists corrected up to recently, cover all soldiers, sailors and aviators captured by the three major powers to date.

For Romanian Navy

Paris.—Three "pocket gunboats" on their way from England to the Black Sea for service with the Romanian navy arrived at Paris, taking the usual course of France's inland canal system to get to the Mediterranean. The three little boats, built in England, are of 35 tons each.

Deeds Against Publication

London.—Authoritative political circles said France and Great Britain decided against publication of documents on negotiations with Soviet Russia before the outbreak of war because they reveal embarrassing differences of opinion between the Allies and Poland.

A STERN PEACE IS ADVOCATED BY SIR ERIC PHIPPS

Manchester.—A stern peace, rendering Germany powerless to plunge Europe back into war, and "complete and permanent" union with France, were urged by Sir Eric Phipps, former British ambassador at Berlin and Paris.

If the Allies are defeated or "lured into premature and inconclusive peace," Sir Eric said during an address here, "the fate of Poland would be savable indeed compared with ours."

Recalling tireless British efforts to avoid war by making concessions to the Reich, the diplomat said there was "too much talk about all the nice, kind things we mean to do to the dear Germans after we have helped rid them of their Nazis."

"As we doomed to play periodically with the Germans a grim war game on the basis of 'heads we lose, tails you win,'" he asked, "in other words, must we periodically fight the bad' Germans and then, after defeating them at terrible cost, help their 'good' brethren soon after the signature of peace to become strong enough and 'bad' enough to resume their interrupted cycle of aggression?"

"Let us beat them first, and then we can decide, in close consultation with our gallant French allies, how to ensure, without any injustice or any tyranny, that we shall not be called upon at stated intervals to sacrifice millions of lives in suppressing Prussian aggression, whether it be let loose at the behest of a Frederick, a Bismarck, a William or a Hitler."

Paris.—The Polish government-in-exile, in an advance resume of data which is to go into a "white book," accused the German conquerors of executing schoolboys and men and women en masse as part of a deliberate campaign to exterminate the native population of Poland.

(The German government previously had denied Polish charges of mass executions in the occupied regions.)

The official communiqué cited a long list of alleged atrocities and called them "worthy of the worst tyrants of antiquity."

Among the crimes the empire government said had been committed were:

The shooting at Bydgoszcz of 136 Polish schoolboys, 12 and 13 years old.

"Massacre" at the same place up to the end of December of 60,000 Polish men and women.

Derivation from Gdynia of 350 Polish hostages and their execution after they were forced to dig their own graves. Among those executed were listed the burgomaster, the port superintendent, chief judge of the district court and the manager of the local Bank of Poland.

Citing alleged instances of inter-

THE ALT MARK'S "PRISONERS" ARRIVE BACK HOME



This picture, received from England via airmail, shows some of the liberated British prisoners from the German "hell" ship Altmark, walking on the quay at the Scottish port where they were taken by the British destroyer Cossack which rescued them. The story of the rescue of these 300 British seamen from the German prison ship is one of the most thrilling stories in British naval history, and the incident caused quite a diplomatic flurry. The Cossack invaded Norwegian waters to stop the German ship after Norwegian authorities had denied that any British prisoners were aboard the Altmark.

LORD LINLITHGOW



Australian Army Program

Plan To Establish A Reserve Of 50,000 Men

Sydney, Australia.—Prime Minister R. G. Menzies disclosed that the government plans to despatch an army corps for overseas service, to establish a reserve of 50,000 men and to call up for home training at least 25,000 and possibly 50,000 men.

The vast scope of the Australian program was indicated by the fact that its cost is estimated to be at least \$65,000,000, spread over two years, or three times the cost of the corresponding period of the Great War.

Mr. Menzies said the Australian air force would be strengthened to seven times its size in 1939 and that by June, 1942, 17,000 people will be employed in munitions factories supplying not only Australia and New Zealand, but Great Britain.

Australia has already sent troops to the Near East.

NEW GIANT LINER QUEEN ELIZABETH ACROSS ATLANTIC

London.—Announcement that the giant liner Queen Elizabeth had crossed the Atlantic unharmed on a secret maiden trip was hailed throughout Great Britain as striking proof of the Royal Navy's command of the seas and a remarkable tribute to the Briton's ability to keep an important secret.

"Thousands of Clydesdale people knew the Elizabeth had left her birth nine days ago and the Scottish and national press of Great Britain knew it," said the Press Association. "Yet the secret was kept."

"The lives of the crew of the great ship were at stake, not to mention the pride of the British navy itself. Clydesiders... remembered Britain's guardian-motto: 'Careless talk costs lives.'

Naval sources and the owners of the world's largest passenger liner, the Cunard-White Star Company, declined to disclose details of her trial voyage in the last war.

"Her arrival in New York," said Dreher, editor of the Westdeutsche Presse Dienst of Essen, a German news service. Police testified they found documents containing instructions for Bakker in Dreher's bag-

Admits Being A Spy

Netherlands Subject Told Court About Aid Given To Germany

Rotterdam.—The Netherlands government will strengthen its anti-espionage service and stiffen penalties against foreign spies. Justice Minister P. S. Gerbrandy told parliament as a spy train ended here.

P. Bakker, 47-year-old Netherlands subject, told the court he had broadcast weather reports to Germany with a portable transmitter given him by Nazi agents. He also admitted receiving \$10 (pounds about \$3) a month from Germany in France during the last war.

On trial with Bakker, Hendrik Dreher, editor of the Westdeutsche Presse Dienst of Essen, a German news service. Police testified they found documents containing instructions for Bakker in Dreher's bag-

Quota Is Filled

Canadian Fox Furs Barred From United States Until December 1

Washington.—No more silver or black fox furs can be imported from Canada until Dec. 1 or from other countries until April 1.

The importers were informed that Canada has exhausted its quota of 53,500 furs for the period ending Nov. 30. Other countries have filled their quota, but for the period April 1-Nov. 30 a 7,400-fur share of their quota is unfilled.

With the coming of spring and possible expansion of German air activity, the liner's berth on the Clyde, the narrowest point of Scotland, would be exposed to possible attack, although the berth has not been bombed thus far.

"Had any evily disposed central European personage wished to interfere with the proceedings he had due notice," declared the Daily Herald.

"On June 20, 1939, it was announced officially that Feb. 26, 1940, would be the day for moving the Queen Elizabeth. She kept to schedule."

It was believed in shipping circles here the Queen Elizabeth would remain in New York throughout the war. New York was regarded as the most suitable haven removed from the war zone.

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Although no details were available, it generally was assumed that the liner was escorted by a powerful armada using naval sealanes for reconnaissance.

Her launching was one of the greatest feats in marine engineering, and was 10 feet longer than the River Clyde was wide. She was headed upstream after the river had been dredged and slightly widened and went down the ways with 2,350 tons of drag chains attached to her hull.

The 1,030-foot Queen Elizabeth is 10 feet longer than the Queen Mary, can accommodate 500 more passengers, 2,400—and has 14 decks, two more than the Queen Mary.

ROUMANIA WILL INCREASE ARMY FOR PROTECTION

Bucharest.—King Carol II opened parliament with a declaration that all the resources of Roumania would be thrown behind her army as a "supreme guarantee to our independence and of the integrity of our borders."

Disclosing that taxes would be materially increased to bear the cost of keeping 1,600,000 men under arms, the king said: "I am sure my people will accept such sacrifices for the sake of the country and peace."

Strict neutrality, he said, will be continued even in the fields of foreign commerce "in order to assure the essential flow of supplies to our army and our people."

Carol's statement was approved in a long session of the crown council amid signs of an even sharper struggle between the Allies and Romania's surplus of raw materials.

Vice-Treasor Tilea, Roumanian minister to London; was reported on his way home to deliver a British proposal that Great Britain be accorded treatment with Germany on Roumania's export of oilseed, especially linseed, on the most favorable terms.

On the other hand it was reported that German pressure on Roumania now included a demand for the country's entire 1940 wool crop. The native vine industry would be ruined if such a demand were fulfilled, economic experts said.

Negotiate Treaties

United States Wants Conciliation Treaties With British Dominions

Washington.—The United States is negotiating treaties of conciliation with Canada, Australia, South Africa and New Zealand.

The treaties will provide that any dispute arising between the United States and a Dominion shall be referred to a permanent conciliation commission to be composed of five members. There will be a separate commission for each Dominion.

The treaties may become of more ordinary significance because all four Dominions are at war with Germany. Hence, it is possible that difficulties arising out of the present economic warfare will create disputes requiring conciliation.

The United States has a conciliation treaty with Great Britain but its references to the Dominions are now regarded as out of date.

Royal Air Force

Have Carried Out More Than 1,000 Raids In German Territory

London.—Air Secretary Sir Kingsley Wood told the House of Commons the Royal Air Force had carried out more than 1,000 sorties into German territory by day and night since the outbreak of war.

He said 44 German aircraft had been brought down around British coasts "without a single loss on our side."

Where last year the total strength of the air force approached 100,000 men, that is the strength to-day of one command alone.

Chilean Mine Disaster

Over Three Hundred Miners Believed Killed And Many Injured

Concepcion, Chile.—Three hundred and two miners were believed to have been killed in a coal damp explosion at the Schwager mine here.

Five hundred men were working in the pits at the time of the explosion. Mine officials said 100 had escaped, mainly to New York throughout the war. New York was regarded as the surface with injuries and 302 were believed dead.

Rescue squads fought flames 500 feet below the surface.

Property damage was estimated at about \$2,000,000.

Rhodes Scholarships For India

London.—Extension of Rhodes scholarships to India was announced by the trustees of the fund. Two will be available annually. The first Indians will come to study at Oxford after the war.

Anti-War Pamphlets

Calgary.—Royal Canadian Mountain Police in widely scattered southern Alberta areas are investigating further distribution of Communist anti-war pamphlets in recent days.

Move R.A.F. Depot

Ottawa.—The equipment depot of the Royal Canadian Air Force, now functioning at Winnipeg, will be transferred to Calgary.

Sgt.-Major James Allan was a visitor to this district last week end.



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The Brooks district reports sixteen inches of snow in ten days.

Many local parties listened in last night to the broadcast "Mutiny on the high seas."

Mr. and Mrs. Colin MacDonald have taken up residence in the Jack Vaughn house on Stuart Street.

On the local ski-way on Sunday, Jim Smith came down with such force that he rebounded half way up again.

We thank the provincial department of lands and mines for a copy of their latest publication, "The History of Alberta Oil."

A local poultryman says the male goose is the best behaved of all domestic fowls. Sounds to us like proper gander.

Upon the transfer of government to new hands, every person in the province will be entitled to receive one of the famous blue pledges as souvenirs.

Dr. J. L. Robinson, Social Credit, Medicine Hat, states that people in Alberta are "already" getting dividends through the treasury branches as high as \$7 a month.

Damages of \$5,000 were assessed against the Toronto Daily Star by a jury which heard evidence in a \$50,000 libel action instituted by the Dominion Textile Company Limited.

The 1940 convention of Alberta teachers will be held at the Palliser hotel in Calgary on March 25 to 28, inclusive. The minister of education is not listed among the speakers.

On the eve of the provincial election, newspaper offices throughout the province have been notified of a reduction in printing establishment licenses. That should catch a vote of two (?) .

It is estimated that the 105-day Finnish-Russian war cost at least 565,000 casualties, with Russia approximately 250,000 dead and 250,000 wounded; Finland 30,000 dead and 35,000 wounded.

THE LADIES' AID of the United Church will hold their annual Easter Salad Tea and Sale of Home Cooking in the Church Auditorium on Saturday, March 23, from 3 to 6 p.m. Come and bring your friends.

First pensions provided for under the Teachers' Retirement Fund Act, passed at the 1939 session of the provincial legislature, are now in effect. Eight teachers who retired from the service are now drawing pensions.

The Edson-Jasper Signal predicts that it is more than likely the Aberhart party will be returned to power. They will lose some seats undoubtedly, possibly ten, but they will go back into power with a majority large enough to carry on with.

The annual banquet of the Blairmore Curling Club will be held at the Cosmopolitan hotel on Thursday, March 28th, at 7 p.m. All curlers, would-be curlers and prospective curlers are invited to attend. Admission is by ticket. No ticket, no seat!

The next time you hear a Social Credit spellbinder shouting: "We would have had our Social Credit Plan working now if the Dominion government had not disallowed our legislation," ask the gentleman what legislation he is referring to. He will likely not be specific and say: "Well, all of those Acts we passed at Edmonton." But ask him to name any one or all that were disallowed, then ask the speaker to explain how any one or all of them had anything to do with the payment of Social Credit dividends of \$25 per month, interest-free production loans, decreased taxation, and lower cost to live. He will be out on a limb, as not a single Act nor all combined disallowed by the Federal government had the remotest connection with the implementation of Aberhart's Social Credit promises.—Trochu Tribune.

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I promise now, and cross my heart, And swear that I will never start To cross a street, by day or night, Before I look to left and right.

Local and General Items

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors unheralded, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Phone items in to 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.

It is better to give than to lend, and it costs nothing at the same.

Tom Uphill, M.L.A. for Fernie, was in town yesterday, and last night addressed the E. Williams' meeting in the Union hall.

At the Sunday evening service at Central United church, Mr. George Burries rendered a vocal solo, "The Old Rugged Cross."

Enthusiasm is what makes a man plant a spring garden when his better judgment tells him he will not want to work in it.

A Winnipeg cartoon features Aberhart behind the pulpit, offering each purchaser of a dose of "Social Credit Tonic" a sermon free of charge.

Mrs. Mary Gail Spankie, mother of Dr. William E. Spankie, passed away in Calgary on Saturday last, aged 79. She was a native of Kingston, Ontario.

Aberhart told his radio audience that people in practically all parts of the world were interested in the Alberta election. Yes, ready to laugh.

A linotype operator and a proof reader are blamed for misleading figures in Aberhart's latest pamphlet. He has not blamed the big shots for that.

Jerry says: Women may be wearing fewer clothes, but show me a married man who can find more than two hooks in the clothes closer to his own use.

Drug stores should sell lots of dope to clean them out now, for they're going to swallow that hat again, line, reel, rod, hook, sinker and everything, just for that \$100 bribe.

Thirty years ago, the Rutherford bird in Alberta was reported collapsed. Cross, Buchanan and Marshall were reported to have resigned and Premier Rutherford was expected to turn in his resignation.

At the last minute three candidates withdrew from the Alberta provincial election campaign, Mrs. G. M. Gibson, Independent, Drumheller; F. O. "Pat" Brewster, Progressive-Labor, Banff; Cochrane, and Miss Margaret Crang, Labor, Edmonton.

Gaetz Memorial church at Red Deer was closed to an Aberhart political meeting. It was not an act of discrimination against Mr. Aberhart or his party, but the board decided "the church will not be used for political meetings now or ever."

Police may have noticed that an election proclamation, posted in the last post office, was somewhat mutilated by some person the early part of last week. A penalty for such act is not exceeding \$100 and costs or imprisonment for a term up to six months.

Aberhart at Wetaskiwin July 29, 1936: "We will start to introduce Social Credit within a month or two, and it will be introduced without any visible signs. We don't need any cash to buy anything that is made in Alberta." Oh, yes, there has been no visible sign up to 1940!

Pete, whose appetite has attained super-normal proportions, is in the market for a set of mastodont that will unclog food stuffs. He says his chewing capacity greatly exceeds his swallowing capacity and his digestibility. We have advised him, as a good fish, to stay away from Abe's latest bait (that \$100), for if really has a hook in it.

Pro golers can be produced to show that the cost to the ratepayers in the enlarged school and municipal districts are heavier than under the old system. As an instance, take the Pincher Creek School Division No. 29, which embraces the municipalities of Kerr, Livingstone and Castle River. Costs in the Kerr district in 1938 were \$12,945, in 1939, \$17,221; Livingstone in 1938, \$8,925, in 1939 \$12,340; and Castle River in 1938, \$2,654, and 1939 \$4,340. No less than a \$10,000 increase to help Aberhart along.

Voters are reminded that when marking their ballots on Thursday, March 21st, in the provincial election, they must use the figures 1, 2, 3, if there are three names on the ballot, to indicate their preference; or 1 and 2, if there are only two names on the ballot. Of course, voters may, if they wish, just place the figure 1 and then stop, without spoiling their ballot.

In the Dominion election on Tuesday, March 26th, voters must mark their ballot with an X, and they must only mark one X on the ballot, no matter how many names are printed on the ballot. More than one X or the use of figures will spoil your ballot.

In Supreme Court at Macleod during the week, Jack Griffiths, of Coleman, was found guilty of embezzling funds of the Coleman Miners' hospital, and was sentenced by Mr. Justice T. M. Tweedie to serve one year less than a day imprisonment. Evidence showed that for a position in which he was held responsible for funds up to some \$10,000 annually he received payment of some \$15 per month. Coupled with that was the fact that he was supporting an invalid wife, Griffiths was defended by Mr. S. G. Bannan, Blairmore barrister, while D. G. Mackenzie, K.C., of Calgary, prosecuted on behalf of Coleman hospital.

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